

SENATOR ABBODD: I think those deal with the Game and Parks, what you've just described, it deals with the duck stamps, other items that are a part of a...they printed up a book full of the stamps and those are the unsold items, from what I understand. They're the unsold items that...so the state is not actually out the money but it's just, I guess, for accounting reasons it's done in that manner, but it's unsold permits and stamps that the state has printed up.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Okay, I think I understand. Appreciate that explanation. And let me look through here real quick and see if I got all my questions answered. Okay, thank you, Senator. I guess I voted against the committee amendments and still have some concern relative to the amount being requested for the Kniselys. It appears that the agency recommendation, the risk manager and the board action, give good reasons as to why this claim should not be approved. So I have some reservations with the committee's decision relative to that particular claim. I think most of my questions have been answered relative to the others. And I want to thank you for the time.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Maurstad. Your light is...okay, thank you. Senator Abboud. Any further discussion on LB 887? Hearing none, Senator Abboud, would you like to close?

SENATOR ABBODD: Madam President, colleagues, I think we've had a good explanation of what the bill entails. If you have any questions about any further specifics, we have the actual files of the claims that were presented before the State Claims Board, and we would be happy to provide copies of any of the information to any member that has an interest. The bill will be coming up again on Select File and if you would like to review the files and then raise some issues on Select File, that will be fine as well. I urge the advancement of LB 887.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Abboud. You've heard the closing. The question is the advancement to E & R Initial of LB 887. All those in favor vote aye, opposed no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay on the motion to advance the bill.